

# **MONDAY MORNING MEETING MINUTES**

## **January 10, 2022**

Johanna D'Aleo opened the meeting at 9:01 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance. There were returning guests from Wisconsin.

Wellness Report: Jeannice Walters had Open Heart Surgery and is home as of Friday. She thanked everyone for cards and wishes. Pastor Dave led us in prayer.

Al reported 497 guests on 306 sites. If you are just coming in and have not already checked in to the Office, please do so to update your information. Also, please pick up after your pets, whether on the grass or in the street.

Pickpocket Gene was one of our guest speakers. He will be here on Sunday from 4 to 6pm in the Main Hall. He is a magic show/comedy act/gives security tips on identity theft and scams. He gave us a demo with Cindy and Terry from TOT and was very good.

Our second speaker was Ernie Galvan of Galvan's Insurance Agency who brought us donuts. Come by for free coffee/cookies and a quote (they are 1 ¼ miles past the Don-Wes flea market). They deal with 8 companies on Mobile Home insurance and are sure they can find you a good fit for your insurance needs.

Teena Shreck reported on Golden Senior Olympics which is in its second week already with Shuffleboard for Singles on Friday and McAllen Marathon on Saturday. Those attending, please take pictures and email them to her (yellow poster at back of Hall for address). Good luck to all players.

Spaghetti Dinner for the Wood Shop is February 4<sup>th</sup>. If you are selling tickets, please see Gary Brink after the MMM back at the table. Supplies for the Cheese board class have arrived and is scheduled for Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm. Cost is \$25. Please see Gary after the MMM to confirm and pay.

Sewing Room classes for January are posted in the Sewing Room along with signup sheets for Jan 17 and 24 class on Holly Santa. Sewing Room meeting and luncheon was held on Jan 5. Copies of minutes are posted in the Sewing Room. Interest sheets are posted in the Sewing Room for Wool Applique class in March and carpooling to local quilt shows. The Style Show scheduled for Feb 9<sup>th</sup> has been postponed until next year. Any veteran who has not received a quilt, please sign up in the Sewing Room. Quilts will be delivered on Jan. 31.

Charity Sewing on Thurs., Jan 13<sup>th</sup> will be for Ronald McDonald House from 9am – 3 pm. Sewers, tyers and ironers are needed. If you need to borrow a sewing machine while you are here, there are some available to be signed out. See Nancy Schmitz.

Wellness Blood Screening – Rio Grande Valley Hospital Lab will again be offering blood testing on Friday, Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 a.m. in the AC Room. Fast for 12 hours before lab draw. Sign up sheets and prices are posted on the Medical Bulletin Board, across from the mail boxes at the indoor pool. Dave Alquist will be speaking at the next MMM.

BPs taken after the MMM by Nancy Schmitz.

Sign up for Stained Glass classes in February on the back bulletin board.

Karen Newell thanked everyone for supporting the lunches and breakfasts, and asked everyone to please sign up, as we have been close to running out on several occasions. This week is pork chop, stuffing, vegetables and dessert.

There will be a Valentine's Day party on February 14<sup>th</sup>. Sign up sheets by hostess at the back board. Hostess will sign people under them, decorate the tables. There will be a combined buffet. More to follow next MMM.

Pictures are winding down. There are a few spots left for Wed-Sat of next week. Call Jennifer or Rosie for spots. Any events taking place in the AC Room next week will need to move, as the camera equipment will be locked up.

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration for those married in 1971 or 1972 will be in the Main Hall on February 20<sup>th</sup>. There is a signup sheet in the back. Chairs are Ann Holdsworth, Jo Carol White and Linda Beem.

Mermaids swim routines to music and perform on St. Patrick's Day. Swimmers are needed for above or below water and Water Walkers are needed for arm movements. Practice is twice/week for 1 hour on Tuesdays and Thursdays. First meeting tomorrow at 10 a.m. (in Main Hall, if outside pool is weather-prohibitive).

Friday is Horse Collar Team Shuffleboard. They draw for teams and you do not need to know how to play. Tee shirt for first place winners. Be there at 6:15 pm. You will have a good time!

Peter Piper signup sheet is at back board. On 495 and 10<sup>th</sup>. Drink, buffet and prizes for \$7.75 per person, with ice cream. Please wear your name tag so you can get in the drawing.

Thirsty Thursdays had 28 last week. This Thursday, it will be at Smokin' Moon on Polk St, behind the Wells Fargo bank. Be there at 3:30 pm.

Regular shuffleboard is Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8:45 a.m.

65/99 has begin on Wednesdays in the AC Room at 6:15 pm. Next Wednesday, it will move to Al Barnes.

Hand, knee and foot is on Thursdays beginning on Jan 13<sup>th</sup> in the Hobby Shop, at 1 pm.

Bean bag toss begins on Wednesdays at 1 pm in the Main Hall.

Outside Volleyball is beginning on Thursday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. on the East Side of Al Barnes. No experience necessary.

Bible Study is from 10-11 a.m. in the AC on Thursdays. Next week, it will move to Al Barnes.

Line Dancing will start at 10:30 a.m. on Thursdays in the Main Hall.

No pulled pork lunches this week, but we will have it at the Craft Show luncheon on Saturday.

Volunteers are needed for ticket takers on Tuesday and Thursday this week. See Activities Dept.

Tuesday is Rewind, Rock and Roll dance at 7-9pm. Thursday is Nue-Blu Band (Bluegrass) from 7-9 pm. Tickets for both are at the door.

Need a volunteer for Ice Cream Social on Sundays at 2 pm. Tom and Linda Linden are moving. One person needs food handler certification.

Vipers menu for January 27<sup>th</sup> will be posted. No alcohol, Ribeye or Voodoo Shrimp. Dinner is at Walk Ons. Bus pickup and drop back here.

Magic class starts Thursday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 in Card Room #1.

The Our Town is in your mailbox. Pictures that we could not get in the magazine will be posted on the board. We need articles from the Chairs. Movies and games are available to be signed out.

Tonight is Steven May Happy Hour at 4:00 in the Main Hall. Donations.

50/50 today is \$43, won by Lot 222.

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### **Pam's Notes**

#### **Good Monday Evening:**

**Just returned from a quick trip to Houston. Went up to MDAnderson for pulmonary test and a scope only to find out I test positive for Covid. Here I thought I was being careful. I don't have a fever nor any of the other**

several covid symptoms. My ONLY sign would be a slight cough that I blamed on allergies. So now I am band from the hospital for 20 days. Do you know what's strange? They let their staff return after 5 days from a positive test. Doctor says that I have to be isolated for 5 days....so my apologies to those of you that I was in contact over the weekend.

Sorry...haven't heard from anyone...so wishing you a good week. Stay safe!!!! Pam